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SUBJECT: AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK AND FUND ANNUAL MEETINGS

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1. IN KEEPING WITH NORMAL BELGIAN PRACTICE, ITS DELEGATION WILL BE SMALL AND WORKING-LEVEL. CHIEF WILL BE LODEWIJK MEULEMANS, HEAD OF THE EXTERNAL RELATIONS SECTION OF THE TREASURY (MINISTRY OF FINANCE). HE WILL BE ASSISTED BY MR. VAN LANDUYDT OF THE DEVELOPMENT AID STAFF (FOREIGN MINISTRY).

2. A TREASURY SOURCE INFORMS US THAT, IN VIEW OF BELGIUM'S FAILURE SO FAR TO RATIFY THE 1975 AUGMENTATION OF ITS QUOTA (FROM 3 TO 9 U.A.), ITS DELEGATION WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO PLAY A DISCRELY QUIET ROLE IN MAURITIUS. IT WILL NOT RAISE ANY ISSUE IN PLANARY SESSIONS OR SEEK A BILATERAL MEETING WITH THE U.S. DELEGATION.

3. BELGIUM'S FORMAL APPROVAL OF ITS QUOTA INCREASE IS CURRENTLY STUCK WITH ALL OTHER PENDING LEGISLATION AWAITING RECONSTITUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT AFTER LAST
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SUNDAY'S NATIONAL ELECTIONS. THE BILL HAS PASSED THE SENATE BUT WILL PROBABLY NOT GET THROUGH THE HOUSE BEFORE LATE THIS YEAR. RENNER

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